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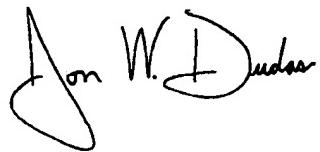
It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 30,

Line 8, after "binding assay of step ii) is" please delete "fluorescence a polarization" and insert -- fluorescence polarization -- in its place.

Signed and Sealed this

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